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This is a communication from the examiner in charge of your application.  
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☒ This application has been examined ☒ Responsive to communication filed on \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ This action is made final.

A shortened statutory period for response to this action is set to expire 3 month(s), \_\_\_\_\_ days from the date of this letter.  
Failure to respond within the period for response will cause the application to become abandoned. 35 U.S.C. 133

Part I. THE FOLLOWING ATTACHMENT(S) ARE PART OF THIS ACTION:

1. ☐ Notice of References Cited by Examiner, PTO-892.
2. ☐ Notice re Patent Drawing, PTO-948.
3. ☒ Notice of Art Cited by Applicant, PTO-1449. 3 pages
4. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application, Form PTO-152
5. ☒ Information on How to Effect Drawing Changes, PTO-1474.
6. ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

Part II. SUMMARY OF ACTION

1. ☒ Claim 1-21 is pending in the application.
2. ☐ Of the above, claims \_\_\_\_\_ are withdrawn from consideration.
3. ☐ Claim \_\_\_\_\_ have been cancelled.
4. ☒ Claims 1, 3-5, 9, 12, 20 + 21 are rejected.
5. ☒ Claims 2, 6-8, 10, 11, 13-19 are rejected to \_\_\_\_\_.
6. ☒ Claims \_\_\_\_\_ are subject to restriction or election requirement.
7. ☐ This application has been filed with informal drawings under 37 C.F.R. 1.85 which are acceptable for examination purposes.
8. ☐ Formal drawings are required in response to this Office action.
9. ☒ The proposed or substitute drawings have been received on \_\_\_\_\_ Under 37 C.F.R. 1.84 these drawings are ☒ acceptable; ☐ not acceptable (see explanation or Notice re Patent Drawing, PTO-948).
10. ☒ The proposed additional or substitute sheet(s) of drawings, filed on \_\_\_\_\_ has (have) been ☒ approved by the examiner; ☐ disapproved by the examiner (see explanation).
11. ☒ The proposed drawing correction, filed \_\_\_\_\_ has been ☒ approved; ☐ disapproved (see explanation).
12. ☐ The proposed amendment to the claim(s) is/are filed on \_\_\_\_\_ under U.S.C. 119. The claim(s) ☐ have been amended; ☐ have not been amended.  
☐ been filed in parent application, serial no. \_\_\_\_\_; filed on \_\_\_\_\_
13. ☐ Since this application appears to be in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under Ex parte Quayle, 1935 C.D. 11; 453 O.G. 213.